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House Resolution 49

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By: Representatives Jennings of the 82nd, Parham of the 141st, Powell of the 29th, Burkhalter of the 50th, Watson of the 91st, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to provide for apportionment of the House
- 2 of Representatives on the basis of single-member districts; to provide for the submission of
- 3 this amendment for ratification or rejection; and for other purposes.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

5 SECTION 1.

- 6 Article III, Section II, Paragraph I of the Constitution is amended by striking subparagraph
- 7 (b) and inserting in its place a new subparagraph (b) to read as follows:
- 8 "(b) The House of Representatives shall consist of not fewer no more than 180
- 9 Representatives apportioned among representative, each of whom shall be elected from
- 10 <u>single-member</u> districts of the state."
- 11 SECTION 2.
- 12 The above proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be published and submitted as
- provided in Article X, Section I, Paragraph II of the Constitution. The ballot submitting
- 14 the above proposed amendment shall have written or printed thereon the following:
- 15 "() YES Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended so as to provide for
- 16 () NO apportionment of the House of Representatives on the basis of
- single-member districts?"
- All persons desiring to vote in favor of ratifying the proposed amendment shall vote "Yes."
- 19 All persons desiring to vote against ratifying the proposed amendment shall vote "No." If
- such amendment shall be ratified as provided in said Paragraph of the Constitution, it shall
- 21 become a part of the Constitution of this state.